

PATENT  
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For:	"IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD	)	Date:	February 8, 2008
	AND COMPUTER-READABLE	)		
	RECORDING MEDIUM	)	Re:	<i>Amendment and Response</i>
	CONTAINING IMAGE PROCESSING	)		
	PROGRAM"	)		

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This is in reply to the Office Action mailed on January 10, 2008, an initial response to which is due no later than

**February 10, 2008.**

Please amend the above-identified application as described below and consider the following remarks. **All amendments and remarks herein are made without prejudice.**

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.